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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages \$6263-\$6343

Measures Introduced: Nine bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3651–3659, S.J. Res. 36, and S. Res. 595. Page S6302

Measures Reported:

Report to accompany S. 1132, to amend title 18, United States Code, to improve the provisions relating to the carrying of concealed weapons by law enforcement officers. (S. Rept. No. 111–233)

H.R. 1454, to provide for the issuance of a Multinational Species Conservation Funds Semipostal Stamp, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 111–234)

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Measures Passed:

Enrollment Correction: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 304, directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to correct the enrollment of H.R. 725.

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Independent Living Centers Technical Adjustment Act: Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 5610, to provide a technical adjustment with respect to funding for independent living centers under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 in order to ensure stability for such centers, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Schumer (for Harkin) Amendment No. 4518, to extend a date. Page S6278

United States Manufacturing Enhancement Act: Senate passed H.R. 4380, to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to modify temporarily certain rates of duty. Page S6341

Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Act: Senate passed H.R. 5849, to provide for an additional temporary extension of programs under the Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Act of 1958.

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National Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week: Senate agreed to S. Res. 595, designating the week beginning September 12, 2010, as

"National Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week".

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Measures Considered:

Disclose Act: Senate continued consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 3628, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to prohibit foreign influence in Federal elections, to prohibit government contractors from making expenditures with respect to such elections, and to establish additional disclosure requirements with respect to spending in such elections. Pages S6278-85

During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 57 yeas to 41 nays (Vote No. 220), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected the motion to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill.

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Subsequently, Senator Reid entered a motion to reconsider the vote by which cloture was not invoked on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill.

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Small Business Lending Fund Act—Agreement: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 5297, to create the Small Business Lending Fund Program to direct the Secretary of the Treasury to make capital investments in eligible institutions in order to increase the availability of credit for small businesses, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax incentives for small business job creation, taking action on the following amendments and motion proposed thereto:

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Withdrawn:

Reid (for Baucus) Amendment No. 4499, in the nature of a substitute. Pages S6285–93

Reid (for LeMieux) Amendment No. 4500 (to Amendment No. 4499), to establish the Small Business Lending Fund Program. Pages \$6285-93

Reid Amendment No. 4501 (to Amendment No. 4500), to change the enactment date. Pages \$6285-93

Reid Amendment No. 4502 (to the language proposed to be stricken by Amendment No. 4499), to change the enactment date.

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Reid Amendment No. 4503 (to Amendment No. 4502), of a perfecting nature. Pages S6285–93

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